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“[illegible]” ON “CLOSED” SUNDAY AN ISSUE IN MONONGAHELA

Recent Closing Ordinance Opposed By Those Whose Business Is Affected

MAY HOLD A “REFERENDUM”

Monongahela City is considerably stirred up over the passage of the Sunday closing ordinance, mention of which was made in the Mail a few days ago. In certain circles the passage of the ordinance has raised quite a storm and protests are going to assume a concrete shape within a few days, with a view of taking steps to have the measure repealed, if this is possible.

Already those opposed to the ordinance, which is considered very drastic in its terms, are preparing a petition to the City Clerk, asking him to prepare a petition to the City Commissioners asking them to reconsider and rescind the measure in the failure of which a referendum will be taken to the people.

The city charter of Monongahela as a third class city provides for the initiative and ferenendum. It requires the signature of 100 qualified electors of the city to a etition to the City Clery to have him prepare the petition; after this is completed it will require the signature of 20 per cent of the voters of the city who voted for Mayor at the last election, to sign the second petition before it can be presented to the Commissioners. In the event of their refusal to rescind the ordinance the question then goes before the qualified voters of the city for a decision, and an election held within 90 days.

It is an “open” or “shut” question before the people of our neighboring town, and while the ordinance meets with the approval of a large percentage of the citizens, it is likewise opposed by many who will make every effort to bring obout its repeal

—WE MUST WIN THAT TABLET—

BAZAAR HAS PROVED A GREAT SUCCESS

The Bazaar and euchre in St. Jerome's Lyceum continues to please. The attendance last night was fine, a large delegation being present from the Loyal Order of Moose, through whose kind patronage the evening's receipts were greatly in[illegible]ated. The military euchre was quite a drawing card, favors being awarded Mrs. Albert Hopkins, Mrs. John Mosseaux, Mrs. Cleveland Mathers, Messrs Peter Lee, John Henrion, and Daniel Shields. The bazaar will close this evening with a miscellaneous euchre.

The Knights of Columbus attended in a large number Tuesday evening and were in a measure responsible for the success of the evening

RED CROSS ROLL CALL PROGRESSING NICELY

The Christmas Roll Call of the Red Cross is [illegible] of all of the solicitors reporting considerable success. The [illegible] will be completed Monday afternoon and it is hoped to have the figures available Tuesday morning. As all contributors to the War Chest are members of the Red Cross the number expected to be secured by the canvassers is not exected to be unduly large.

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HOLIDAY SPIRIT AT C. L. S. CIRCLE

The Magic City Chatauqua Circle held a pleasant meeting Friday evening in the home of Mrs. W. B. Pfleghardt, on Fallowfield avenue. Holiday season decorations were in evidence and a pleasing program of music and study was given. The Chautauqua course this year comprises a study of Britain and her dependencies and with the war just closing the new problems are very intesting.

The study that elicited much comment was the “Irish question,” the burning question with England today. Then the labor problem, that meant almost a social revolution before the war, is far from a satisfactory solution.

Last evening social studies were considered and the home problems that face us as a nation were taken up At the close of the program all repaired to the dining room, where a miniature Christmas tree had been put in place on the table and the social hour that followed was characterized by true holiday appointments.

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CALIFORNIA WOMAN CLAIMED BY DEATH

Mrs. Janet Hawthorne Campbell, wife of John Campbell, of California, died in the McKeesport hospital Thursday morning. Mrs. Campbell had been operated on for appendicitis and was getting along nicely when pneumonia developed. She had been a lifelong resident of California, an active member of the Christian church and interested in all of its work. Her death came as a great shock to her many friends. She is survived by her husband and two children, Blanche a member of the senior class of the California Normal and Beryl, aged 14 years. The body was brought to her late home Thursday evening and funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in Highland cemetery.

—DON'T LET OUR COUNTY FAIL—

Give the little fellow a boost. Ewald's Jewelry store 409 Fallowfield avenue. 169-t1-*

Auto Mishap Caused By Slippery Roads

Charleroi [illegible] had occasion to use the improved brick [illegible] county [illegible] experienced considerable difficulty with their machines, because of the slippery conditions of these highways. W. S. Sweeney, while on the Taylor's Run road on the way home from Pittsburg, had quite an experience, which resulted in some damage to his machine as well as slight injuries to Mr. Rosenbloom, of the Majestic theatre, who was a passenger in the car.

After crossing the bridge at a point near the Taylor's Run school house the machine failed to respond to the steering gear and skidded. It was on the way over the bank when Mr. [illegible] through a barbed wire fence at which resulted in his clothes being badly torn as well as several severe cuts caused by the barbs on the wire. It required the assistance of a truck to get the machine back on the roadway and after a [illegible] again they met with a second mishap when the car skidded into the gutter and turned on its side [illegible] immediately righted itself. In this accident the top of the car was damaged. Mr. Sweeney had a considerable amount of goods in the car, but none of them were damaged. After getting the car back on the roadway for the second time the balance of the trip was made to Charleroi without further mishap.

BELLEVERNON BOY DIES VERY SUDDENLY

Laurence Morris, aged 18 years, son of Adam Morris, died very suddenly at his home in North Belle Vernon Friday evening. The young man was sitting on a chair preparing to go out in town, when he suddenly fell over. When his parents reached him it was found he was dead. About 15 weeks ago the boy was hurt in the Pittsburg Steel mill at Monessen, since which time he has not been working, going about on crutches. Funeral services will be held some time on Monday.

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MONESSEN IS AFTER A GARBAGE SITE

The borough government of Monessen is endeavoring to secure the Boyd property below that town as a site for a garbage furnace, and a hearing was held in the courts at Greensburg on Friday, and continued over until today, when witnesses appeared for and against the proposition. The garbage situation in Monessen is said to be in a deplorable state and efforts are being made to improve it. If the borough acquires the property it is after a modern cinerating plant will be erected, which it is hoped will solve the proposition for our neighboring town.

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D. M. McCloskey, Esq., who was with the Radio Section of the United States Regular Army at Yale College, has been discharged from service and returned home at noon today. Mr. McCloskey was in the Officers' Training Corps.

RAILROAD WANTS THOUSANDS OF MEN

The United States employment service was asked on Wednesday by the Pennsylvania Railroad company to supply 8,500 men. Over half of the 8.500 men are wanted for skilled positions and the remainder for laborers. All persons wanting work are requested to get in touch with the nearest branch of the United States employment service. Preference will be given to returned soldiers and sailors, it is stated.

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SPECIAL SERVICE AT M. E. CHURCH SUNDAY

Sunday morning at 10:45 a special program will be rendered at the Methodist Episcopal church, as follows: Hymn; prayer; “Gloria,” congregation; reading and announcements; offertory, violin and organ; sermon, by pastor, Rev. G. A. Allison; cantata, “In Excelsis.” choir; benediction.

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During four years and three months of war twelve spies were shot in London Tower. During nineteen months of war not one spy was shot in the United States But the difference was merely one of greator danger and more impelling need.

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Peru accepts mediation but Chile hangs back—a difference to be accounted for by the fact that Chile holds the disputed province and is not sure that the arbitrators will agree that possession is nine points of the law.

—DON'T LET OUR COUNTY FAIL—

Follow the crowd to the home of a thousand Xmas ideas at I. Birken. 159-tf

—WE MUST WIN THAT TABLET—

Get your Christmas trees and holly wreaths at Doerzbacher's. 165-t5

REPORTED SCARCITY OF CHRISTMAS TREES

A scarcity of Christmas trees is reported in the Charleroi market and unless the supply is replenished within the next few days many families which had anticipated having one of these yuletide accessories in their homes will be disappointed. A car load of trees which arrived for Charleroi about ten days ago had to be divided with Monessen, whose supply was lost enroute.

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SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Washington Avenue Presbyterian

Sabbath school 9:45. Preaching 11. Sermon “Christmas Glory in the Heart.” Jr. C. E. 2:15. Leader, Clyde Fox. At 3 a public memorial service in honor of the late Arden Calvert. Sr. C. E. at 6:30. Topic, “Peace on Earth.” Leader, Miss Helen Fleming. Preaching 7:30. Sermon, “Some Yuletide Memories.” Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

First Presbyterian.

Sunday school 9:45. Morning worship 11. Subject, “If Christ Were Born Today.” Christian Endeavor 6:30. Topic. “Peace on Earth.” Leader, Glenn Brumbaugh. Evening worship 7:30. Subject, “Wise Men Read Their Bibles.” Special offering for the National Service Commission.

First Christian

Bible school 9:45. Communion and preaching 10:45. Sermon subject “The Birthday of a King.” Prayer and Praise service 7. J. E. Newcomer, leader. Evening worship 7:30. Sermon subject, “The Angel's Message.” Special music by Junior choir. C. G. Huffer, minister.

Methodist.

Sunday school 9:45. Preaching, short address by pastor and Christmas cantata by the choir at 10:45. Epworth League. 6:30. Preaching 7:30. Subject, “What Jesus Saw.” Prayer service Wednesday evening, 7:30. G. A. Allison, pastor.

Lutheran.

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching services 11. At 7:30 the Sunday school will render a Christmas service. Early services on Christmas morning at 6:30. C. P Bastian, pastor.

French Free Church

Sunday school 9:30. Services 10:30 and evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. H. Porrier, pastor.

—DON'T LET OUR COUNTY FAIL—

Special Christmas sale on all ladies coats and suits and children's coats. Sale starts Thursday, December 19. Eugene Tau 167-t8

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Buy your Boy a Suit for Christmas at Berryman's. 168-t3

CHARLEROI HIGH IS IN NEW VALLEY BASKET BALL LEAGUE

High School Teams From Lower Valley Among the Competitors

ARRANGEMENT IS A NEW ONE

High school basket ball will be conducted along somewhat different lines in Western Pennsylvania during the coming season, and in a manner which it is hoped will give greater satisfaction than heretofore. The circuits have been arranged differently, and Charleroi, instead of being in a county league, as has heretofore prevailed for a number of years, will be in a valley league which will embrace Homestead, Duquesne, McKeesport, Monessen and Donora. Washington and Canonsburg, which have in the past been contenders with the local High are not in any of the sections embraced in the Western Pennsylvania Intercholastic Association. Charleroi is in Section IV and the schedule arranged for the season is as follows:

January 10—Homestead at McKeesport, Donora at Duquesne, Monongahela City at Monessen

January 14—Charleroi at Monongahela City, Monessen at Donora.

January 17—McKeesport at Duquesne, Homestead at Donora, Charleroi at Monessen.

January 21—Donora at McKeesport, Duquesne at Monongahela City.

January 24—McKeesport at Charleroi, Monessen at Duquesne, Donora at Monongahela City.

January 28—Monessen at Homestead, Duquesne at Charleroi.

January 31—McKeesport at Homestead. Duquesne at Donora, Monessen at Monongahela City.

February 4—Charleroi at Donora, Homestead at Monessen.

February 7—Duquesne at McKeesport, Donora at Homestead, Monongahela City at Charleroi.

February 11—McKeesport at Donora.

February 14—Monessen at McKeesport, Monongahela City at Homestead, Charleroi at Duquesne.

February 16—McKeesport at Monongahela City. Homestead at Duquesne.

February 21—McKeesport at Monessen. Charleroi at Homestead, Monongahela City at Donora.

February 25—Duquesne at Monessen, Donora at Charleroi.

February 28—Charleroi at McKeesport. Homestead at Monongahela City.

March 4—Donora at Monessen, Homestead at Charleroi, Monongahela City at Duquesne.

March 7—Monongahela City at McKeesport, Duquesne at Homestead, Monessen at Charleroi.

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Bazaar & Euchre

Miscellaneous euchre in St. Jerome's Lyceum, this evening at 8:15 sharp 25c All book articles will be chanced off this evening 159-t1*

Coyle Theatre Christmas Day

The one and only CHARLIE CHAPLIN in “SHOULDER ARMS”

Children 15c Adults 25c

Open from 10 A. M. till 11 P. M.

Majestic Theatre Today

Frank Glendon and Hedda Nova in “BY THE WORLD FORGOT”

Also Pathe News and Comedy

Monday--Tom Mix in “Fame and Fortune”

Remember The BOYS OVER THERE

You surely want to remember our brave boys over the sea this Christmas.

Send your remittance to them by Bank Draft a safe and economical way to forward it.

You can obtain these Drafts of us.

The First National Bank

Charleroi, Pa.

CIGARS

CIGARS, BOX OF 25		TOBACCOS	
Prince George	$1.50	Prince Albert lb jar	$1.45
General Braddock	$1.50	Prince Albert, lb. tin	1.30
Lady Churchill	$1.75	Prince Albert, 1-2 lb tin	70c
Benefactors	$2.00	Tuxedo lb tin	1.30
Rivalo	$2.00	Tuxedo 1-2 lb tin	70c
Orlando M. Perf.	$2.50	Patterson Seal lb	80c
Orlando Little	1.63	Patterson Seal 1-2 lb	45c
Palma De Cuba Vic	1.75	La Preferencia Vict.	2.50
La Preferencia Perf.	3.25	Belfast lb	85c

TOBIES Boxes of 50		CIGARETS IN CARTONS	
		200 Camels	$1.50
		1[illegible]2 Lucky Strike	1.20
Pollock Experts	$2.35	200 Chesterfield	1.50
Collins Bog Havana	1.65	150 Salisbury	150
Jenkinsons Best	1.25	200 Fatima	2.00
Big X Havana	1.50	PIPES PIPES	

MIGHT'S BOOK STORE

Coyle Theatre Today

William S. Hart in “Truthful Tulliver”

Monday--Carmel Meyers in a Bluebird feature “ALL NIGHT”

A gift should be adequately expressiv of the donor's sincerity and of the depth of regard. The recipient's value of a gift reposes upon sentiment, beauty and impressiveness. As only the worth endures the abidi essentials are quality and durability.

Precious stones, watches, silverware, silver deposit ware, cut glass, china, brassware, bracelets, lavallieres, lockets, fobs cuff links, pins, match boxes, etc., are all of beauty and of excellent appropriateness as Xmas gifts.

The values offered must be seen to be appreciated

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515 McKean Ave. Charleroi, Pa

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Days Than Christmas

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Save You Time and Money

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Practical---Sensible---Christmas---Gifts

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Turkish Towels
Fancy Aprons
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Sweaters
Toques
Knit Jackets
Bootees
Velvet Cushions
Gowns
Silks
Dress Goods
Shawls
Cushions
Corset Covers
Lunch Sets
Sewing Sets
Scissor Sets
Dinner Gongs
Manicure Sets
Pin Cushions
Military Brushes
Coat Hangers
Mirrors
Traveling Cases
Collar Boxes
Hose
Gloves
Hand Bags
Party Cases
Slippers in Cases
Smoking Jackets
House Robes
Bath Robes
Linen Towels
Table Linen

Neckwear
Tourist Cases
Jewel Cases
Ribbons
Desk Sets

Suggestions

Smoking Sets
Boudoir Caps
Fancy Combs
Needle Cases
Doll Sets

A Few Suggestions Listed Here Picked at Randon

No reason why you can't readily find just what you want for Father's, Mother's, Brothers, Sister's or friend's Christmas Gift. Come in and look at our complete stocks.

THE GIFT FOR HER

TOYLAND

and with only a few days left to buy for the kiddies Charleroi's Greatest Toy Store is best prepared to take care of your wants. No need of looking around for this, that and the other thing for the kiddies. In our enormous stocks you surely can find just what you want for them. Visit Toyland and bring the kiddies

NAROBIA
GUARANTEED FURS

Ladies' Neckwear here in abundance. A man can buy here and get something to suit every time from our hundreds of new styles

A complete assortment of dolls for the tots and larger girls

Our store will be open evenings until Christmas for those who of necessity must shop at night, but if possible shop in day time, preferably in the morning.

Berrymans The Gift Store

Maline Bows
Fancy Pins
Vanity Cases
Fancy Hat Pins
Hair Pins
Hair Ornaments
Card Trays

Dresser Trays
Hair Brushes
Handkerch'fs
Purses
Coats
Suits
Art Goods
Silk Scarfs

Waists
Kimonas
Bath Robes
Silk Petticoats
Rain Coats
Furs. Hats
Veils
Skirts

Pajamas
Night Shirts
Mufflers
Gloves
Sweaters
Neckwear
Handker'chfs
Silk Half Hose
Shirts
Umbrellas
Shaving Mirrors
Suit Cases
Collar Bags
Collar Boxes
Cuff Buttons
Stick Pins
Tie Holders
Arm Bands
Garters
Hats
Caps
Suits
Overcoats
Raincoats
Mackinaws
Combination Sets
Traveling Companions
Mirror Sets
Bill Books
Belt and Fob Sets
Slippers

An Hour In the Morning IS WORTH TWO IN THE AFTERNOON AT THIS SEASON

Shop Early - STORE OPEN AT 8:30 o'clock - **Shop Early**

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OUR GENEROUS CREDIT → OFFERS THE BEST TERMS

If your Christmas money fails to hang out, treat your friends to presents of Clothing that they will remember. Use your CREDIT and keep up your generosity.

YOU HAVE OUR OWN MANUFACTURED HIGH-GRADE GARMENTS TO CHOOSE FROM

Men's and Women's **Coats $21.95 UP!**

Under our plan, only garments that we GUARANTEE ourselves are sold. We take no chance on dissatisfying our Patrons with someone else's product. Open Every Evening; Saturday Til 10

Suits For Men $25 up!

COATS AND DRESSES FOR MISSES - - $15, up!
SUITS AND OVERCOATS FOR BOYS - - 7. up!
FURS, HATS SWEATERS, Etc.

100 STORES, MAGNIFICENT STOCKS CONVENIENT WEEKLY OR MONTHLY PAYMENTS

Gift Suggestions—SPECIAL--Beautiful set of Ladies' Shirtwaist and Camisole in Christmas Box: all colors . . . **$9.95 and $10.95**

"FOR HER" A Coat, Muff, Dress, Shirtwaist, Hat
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WORTH TWO WEEKS TRAINING

Tanlac Quickly and Surely Put H. Mason, Pugilist, in Pink of Condition

"Tanlac is worth almost as much to me as a two weeks' hard training," says H. Mason, athlete and pugilist. [illegible]

"I suffered from stomach trouble and a catarrhal affection, the latter having been brought about by my contracting cold after a ten-round bout at the Harlem Athletic Club last Thanksgiving afternoon.

"It seemed as though my nutrition was retarded and my strength was leaving me rapidly.

"I would awaken at night from cold sweats.

"I could not eat with any satisfaction and as a consequence my stomach went completely back on me.

"I bought some of this new medicine, Tanlac, because a friend told me about it, and because he recommended it to me so highly.

"Since using Tanlac my stomach has resumed its normal condition. I eat fine and sleep well. I am as strong as ever; in fact, I feel like I am fit for the battle of my life.

"This Tanlac is certainly a great strength giver. It beats anything I have ever seen. I am going to keep the medicine around handy to take in the future. You certainly can bet on that."

Tanlac is now sold here by Pipers Pharmacy.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Washington county, Pennsylvania, on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1919 at ten (10:00) o'clock, under the provisions of the Corporation Act of 1874 and its supplements for a charter for an intended corporation to be called the "Glass City Hall Association" the character and object of which are the receiving and holding property real and personal, of and for unincorporated, religious, beneficial, charitable educational and missionary societies and associations, and executing trusts therefor, with especial reference to that unincorporated beneficial association known as "Glass City Lodge 4392, Grand United Order of Odd Fellows;" and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights benefits and privileges conferred by the said act and the supplements thereto.

Guy Moffitt,
Solicitor.
D-20-27-J-3

TO JOHN B. RICHARD
OF THE TUBE MILL

If I have left my bed and board it is the cause of mother-in-law, father-in-law and sister-in-law. That is why I left my husband and my little children. If there is any debt made by me there will be no danger but as long as he pays his debt he need not bother about me for I can work for my living.

Mrs. Josephine E. Richard
168-t1-p

Special Christmas sale on all ladies coats and suits and children's coats. Sale starts Thursday, December 19. Eugene Fau. 167t8

Christmas Reduction on all Ladies, Misses and Childrens Coats and suits. Now is the time to buy her one for Christmas. Berryman's. 168-t3

Follow the crowd to the home of a thousand Xmas ideas at I. Birken. 159-tf

Finest V-Neck Pull Over sweaters, all combinations $10. R. O. Vetter. 164-t7

Silk hose all colors and combinations at 50c to $2. R. O. Vetter. 164t7

Get your Christmas trees and holly wreaths at Doerzbacher's. 165-t5

Silk Shirts $5 to $12. R. O. Vetter. 164-t7

Largest line of ties at 50c to $3.50. R. O. Vetter. 164-t7

Classified

[illegible] room house, [illegible] The Lookout avenue. [illegible] E. J. Charles, Charleroi [illegible] Realty Dept. 151-tf

FOR SALE—One good horse 1600 lbs and butcher wagon. Inquire John [illegible], 1113 Crest avenue. 165-t6p

FOR SALE—White iron bed, white dresser and chair, porch chairs and swing. Cheap to quick buyer. Inquire of Mail office. 165-tfp

FOR SALE—Late model 5 passenger car. Would accept Liberty Bonds or consider property in exchange. Address 252 Mail office. 166t6p

FOR SALE—Two horses, wagon and harness. Inquire Frank Haywood, Dunlevy, Pa. 166t7p

FOR SALE—Second handled and shopworn machines at a sacrifice as we need the room, also a special discount on the White Rotary. Open evenings until Christmas. 433 Fallowfield avenue. Bell 115-W. 168t4p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire at 101 Fallowfield avenue. 164-t6

FOR RENT—Furnished room 404 Fifth street. 166t6p

FOR RENT—Four unfurnished rooms. Immediate possession. Address 353 Mail office. 167-t2-p

WANTED—Twelve men between the ages of 25 and 45 who are willing to work and who have had some selling experience. Good salary and commission. Apply in own handwriting to 525 Mail office. 152tf

WANTED—Widow or elderly lady to assist with housework. Bell phone 562—W. 164-t6p

WANTED—A colored chef for the Pittsburg & Lake Erie Railroad Y. M. C. A. at Newell, Pa. Call Bell phone 31, California. 165-tf

WANTED—Men to work on the streets of Charleroi. Inquire of Jacob Hornell, street commissioner. 166t6

WANTED—Salesman to call on local retail grocer trade. State experience and salary desired. Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co., Merchant and Martindale Sts., N. S. Pittsburg, Pa. 168-t2

WANTED—Woman or girl for housework. 329 Fallowfield Ave. 168-t3-p

WANTED—A girl at the Charleroi Poultry store. 616 McKean avenue. 168-t2

WANTED—Positions open after Xmas to take the places of girls we have that are returning to school. J. G. McCrory Co. 168-t3-p

PERSONAL—Will the owner of a pair of repaired shoes who received a pair of tan shoes in mistake at the Majestic theatre Saturday evening call Bell phone 298-W. 167t2

Notice Fraternal Order of Eagles No. 390

All members are requested to meet at the Eagle Home Sunday at 1 P. M. to attend the funeral of our late brother Thomas Conaway.

Andrew N. Keifer, W. P.
W. H. Zellers, Jr. Secretary.
168-t2

Give Flannel Jajamas or Night Shirts. Full line. R. O. Vetter. 164t7

Get your Christmas trees and holly wreaths at Doerzbacher's. 165-t5

Full line of Bath Robes $7.50 to $16. R. O. Vetter. 164-t7

100 dozen ties at 50c boxed. R. O. Vetter. 164-t7

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807 Sixth street 4 rooms $1700.
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225 Lookout Ave 5 rooms $1500.
227 Lookout Ave 5 rooms $1500.
235 Lookout Ave 5 rooms $1600.
235 Lokout Ave 5 rooms $1600.
405 Sixth street 6 rooms $4000.

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Charleroi, Pa.

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Get a 25¢ Box

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NOW OPEN
in our Basement
Bring the Kiddo's
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A large stock always on hand
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Special Xmas Sale
All our ladies' coats and suits and children's coats will be sold at a large reduction at this sale which starts Thursday, December 19th.

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THE LADIES STORE

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For Fancy Pastries
Fine cakes and everything in the bakery line. Try our bread and rolls.
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Where Quality Is Higher Than Prices

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Whether it may be only a toothbrush or complete outfit
WE HAVE IT

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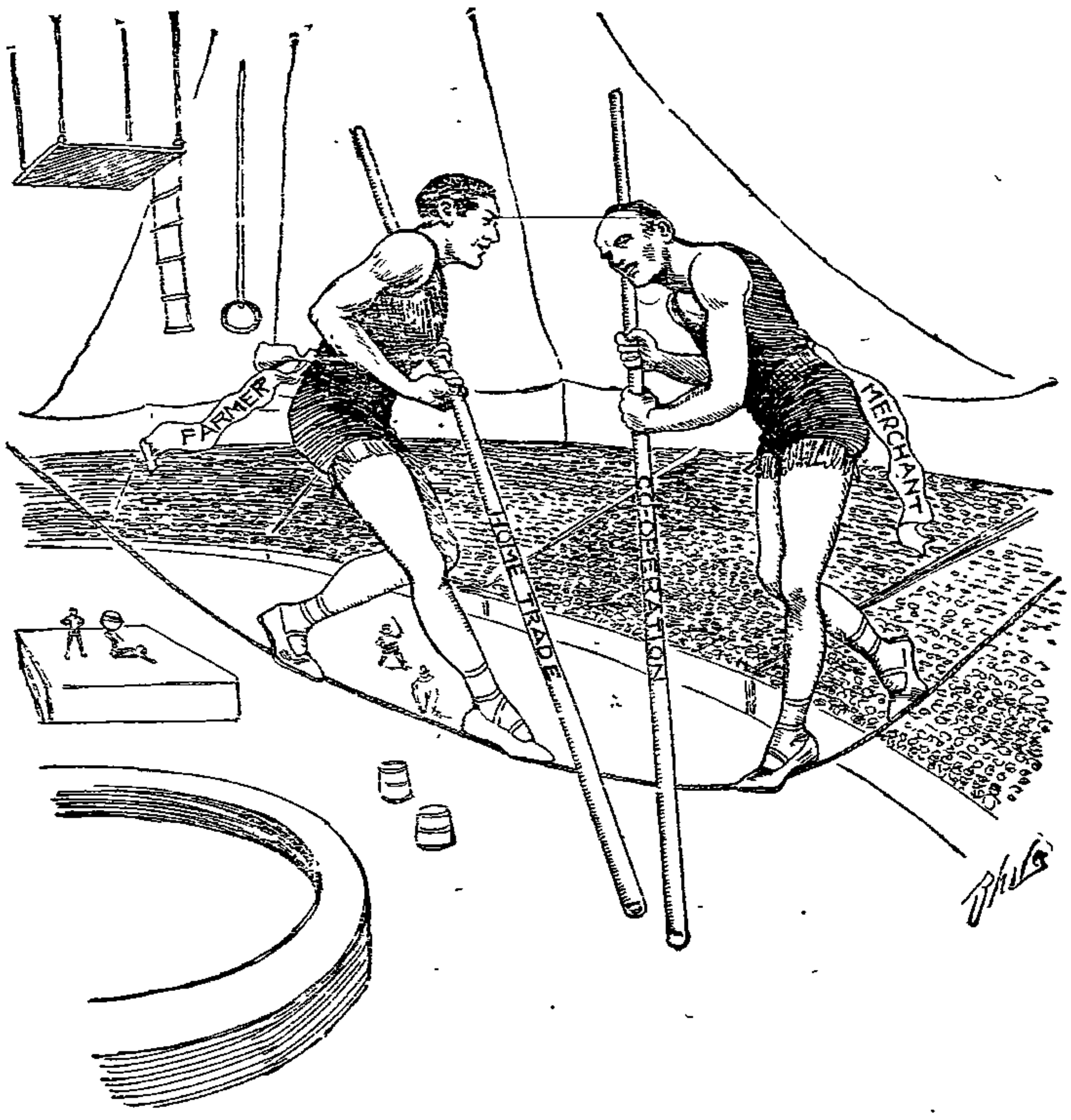
THE DEPENDABLE DRUG STORE

Remodeling Sale
In order to make repairs we offer at a great bargain all coats, dresses, skirts, fancy waists and all millinery away below cost. Sale begins Friday, December 6.
Dont forget the Place
Evans' Millinery
323 McKean Ave. Charleroi

Economy Shoe Store

534 Fallowfield Ave.

Good Shoes Cheap



PRESERVE THE BALANCE

The two great forces in this country are the farmer and the home town merchant. It is they who preserve the balance. And the balancing poles are home trade and co-operation. Their performances determine our prosperity. If outside influences are allowed to creep in, the balance is destroyed Home Trade and Co-operation are the deciding factors. With these we can "deliver the goods." You, Mr. Citizen, think of this the next time you are tempted to send your money out of town for an apparent "Long Distance" Bargain.

Do Your Xmas
Shopping Now

Our Stock is complete in all departments.

H. PORTER JEWELER and OPTICIAN
502 Fallowfield Ave. Charleroi, Pa
The Store With The Big Street Clock

Regan & Hormell
Electric Washers, Irons
Fans and Supplies
Chandeliers
518-20 McKean Ave.
Charleroi Penn'a.

Bell Telephone 74-J Charleroi Telephone 74

Lawrence B. Frye
Funeral Director and Embalmer
335 Fallowfield Ave.
Charleroi, Pa.

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This is caused by an unnatural strain on some part of the foot
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Our Service is courteous, our goods the best money can buy, our prices are reasonable.
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You will want the home to be bright and cheerful—A few dollars spent on wall paper will do a lot to brighten up the home. Try some of our popular priced wall papers. 500 room lots of good papers 2.00 and upwards.

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421 McKean Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

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On and after January 1st, 1919 you can have your Firestone Solid Tires pressed on, at the
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Open Day and Night
Quick Polite Attention
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STAND BY YOUR GUNS

The boys from this county who got to the front line trenches stood by their guns until the finish. They didn't skulk out of the fight.

Just as long as there was a Hun for a target they kept after him.

They made life just as miserable for Fritz as they could. And just before the armistice became effective they tossed a parting volley into Hunland just as an evidence of their sincerety.

They went into the fight with a purpose, with a job to do. And they did it.

What are you going to do, Mr. Man?

Here at home certain definitely outlined tasks were set before you. Have you made good. Have you kept plugging away all the time?

Are you going to stay in to the finish?

Our War Savings Stamp quota hasn't been reached by a long shot.

We are considerably short of the mark set for this county. We are not going over the top unless we get busy, all together.

We cannot dribble along in two-bit purchases and come through.

And if this county is listed finally as one of those that fell by the wayside that dropped out in the pinch, that skulked to the rear;, we will have no one to hold accountable but ourselves.

It's up to us. We are responsible. YOU and I.

When those boys who stood by their guns over there come back we may be able to look them in the eye. But we'll have to hurry.

We will have to stand by our guns also.

And buy War Savings Stamps to beat the band.

If we admit Germany to our bread line, Bulgaria will speak for two meals a day and Turkey will bow and scrape for three. Uncle Sam can hardly ration his suffering allies and all their enemies, too.

A nation can not afford to do a mean thing, said Charles Sumnor. but he lived before the time of a supposedly irresistible war-machine.

The Germans complain of lack of pity for them, apparently not knowing that the way to invite compassion is to repent.

It is estimated that 11.000.000 people in the United States have already answered the Christmas Roll Call of the Red Cross.

Christmas Candies.

For your Christmas [illegible] in at the Sugar Bowl [illegible] McKean avenue Full line of homemade candies, chocolates and bon-bons Fancy packages from 15c to $8 16[illegible]

You can make no mistake when you purchase your jewelry, diamonds cut glass, ivory and watches from us, if you want real goods and a square deal stop and shop at I Barker

159-tf

Special Christmas sale on all ladies coats and suits and children's coats. Sale starts Thursday, December 19. Eugene Fau. 167t8

If hearts are played you can easily win with a diamond. we can help you in a selection at I Barker, 522 McKean avenue. 159tf

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Christmas Reduction on all Ladies Misses and Childrens Coats and suits [illegible] Christmas Berryman's. [illegible]

Special Christmas sale on all ladies coats and suits and children's coats Sale starts Thursday. December 19. Eugene Fau. 167t8

Special Reduction on all Furs. That's the thing she will like for her Christmas gift Berryman's 168t3

Malted Milk was originated by HORLICK. Avoid initations and substitutes. 2

Classified

FOR SALE—Five room house, bath and garage. 728 Lookout avenue Inquire E. J. Charles, Charleroi Savings and Trust Realty Dept. 151-tf

FOR SALE—One good horse 1600 lbs and butcher wagon. Inquire John Dudra, 1113 Crest avenue. 165-t6p

FOR SALE—White iron bed, white dresser and chair, porch chairs and swing Cheap to quick buyer. Inquire 331 Mail office. 165-tfp

FOR SALE—Late model 5 passenger car. Would accept Liberty Bonds or consider property in exchange. Address 332 Mail office. 166t6p

FOR SALE—Two horses, wagon and harness. Inquire Frank Haywood, Dunlevy, Pa 166t7p

FOR SALE—Second handed and shopworn machines at a sacrifice as we need the room, also a special discount on the White Rotary Open evenings until Christmas. 433 Fallowfield avenue. Bell 115-W. 168t4p

FOR SALE—Five room house and bath. Garage in rear on Fallowfield avenue. Inquire People's Realty Co. 169-tf

FOR SALE—Or rent, 42 acre farm in Long Branch borough and one and one-half miles from Allenport. Address Raymond Chester. Speers. R. D. 1. box 149. 169-t6p

FOR SALE—Haynes 1918 four door roadster A-1 condition. Must be sold at once. Good reason given to prospective buyer. Inquire W. S. Sweeney at Fau's store. 169-t4

FOR RENT—Furnished room 404 Fifth street 166t6p

WANTED—Twelve men between the ages of 25 and 45 who are willing to work and who have had some selling experience. Good salary and commission. Apply in own handwriting to 328 Mail office. 152tf

WANTED—Widow or elderly lady to assist with housework. Bell phone 562—W. 164-t6p

WANTED—A colored chef for the Pittsburg & Lake Erie Railroad Y. M. C. A. at Newell, Pa. Call Bell phone 34, California. 165-tf

WANTED—Men to work on the streets of Charleroi. Inquire of Jacob Hormell, street commissioner. 166t6

WANTED—Salesman to call on local retail grocer trade. State experience and salary desired. Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co., Merchant and Martindale Sts., N. S. Pittsburg. Pa.,168-t2

WANTED—Woman or girl for housework. 329 Fallowfield Ave. 168-t3-p

WANTED—A girl at the Charleroi Poultry store, 616 McKean avenue. 168-t2

WANTED—Positions open after Xmas to take the places of girls we have that are returning to school. J. G. McCrory Co. 168-t3-p

WANTED—Electrical wiremen; permanent position. 8 hour day. Address Keystone Electric Supply & Construction Co., Washington, Pa. 169-t7

WANTED—1000 customers Dec. 21 1918. Get a calendar. Ewald's Jewelry store. 409 Fallowfield avenue. 169-t1-[illegible]

Look out for Spanish Influenza.

At the first sign of a cold take

HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

FOR SALE

6 room and bath, lot 60x150 Price [illegible]

Modern 8 room house, Crest avenue with view of river for miles Excellent location. Just the home for particular party.

5 room house McKean Ave $2800.

8 room house McKean avenue [illegible]

10 room house Fallowfield Ave. $6 000.

100 acre farm near new mill at Stockdale.

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Our display of Fall Furniture suggesting new ideas for the furnishing of any room in the house, is the most extensive we have ever planned. Our bedroom suites are what we are unusually proud of every step in their manufacture or specifications has been dictated by the best methods to be employed and they are worthy of the title "Quality Furniture."

We handle a complete line of all styles and all finishes at most reasonable prices.

R. Zeidman Furniture Co.
404-406 Fallowfield Avenue

Special Xmas Sale

ALL our ladies' coats and suits and children's coats will be sold at a large reduction at this sale which starts—

Thursday, Dec. 19 '18

Eugene Fau's The Ladies Store
Charleroi, Penna.

Good Will Given a New Impetus

A statement of Dodge Brothers war activities is due the owners of their cars.

Dodge Brothers refrained, during the progress of the war, from any reference to the performance of the car in Government service.

It seems proper now, however, to disclose the facts, because they are unusual facts—intensifying that good will which owners of Dodge Brothers Cars have always manifested.

Dodge Brothers car was the only one of its class approved and adopted by the War Department.

In a separate Ordnance Works, built especially for the purpose, costing millions of dollars and employing thousands of their skilled motor workmen, Dodge Brothers undertook an important duty designated by the War Department.

Without the aid of their great motor organization, Dodge Brothers could not have fulfilled the heavy obligation which they were asked to assume by the Ordnance Department.

The other service required of Dodge Brothers motor works, by the Government, was to continue to furnish their cars as they were needed.

They *were* furnished, not in hundreds, but in thousands—both for the training camps here, and for service in Belgium, France and Italy.

The record of those thousands of camp and army cars is one in which any owner may feel the utmost pride and satisfaction.

Their performance justified the compliment implied in their selection by the Government.

The great works in which nearly three hundred thousand of their cars have been produced in the past four years furnished a vast store-house of human energy and equipment for the ordnance work.

Naturally, it will take time to adjust the motor works to its full accustomed activity.

Gradually Dodge Brothers will resume the grateful task of continuing to deserve the good will of America—and indeed of the whole world.

Dodge Brothers consider good will their most valuable possession.

They will never knowingly do anything to lessen it.

Elite Garage, 628-630 McKean Avenue

Three More Shopping
Days This Christmas

Berryman's

[illegible] Save You Time and Money

Charleroi's Greatest
Christmas Store

Practical---Sensible---Christmas---Gifts

FOR ALL THE FAMILY

Turkish Towels
Fancy Aprons
Drawn Work
Mohawk Sheets
Pillow Cases
Bolsters
Bed Spreads
Sweaters
Toques
Knit Jackets
Bootees
Velvet Cushions
Gowns
Silks
Dress Goods
Shawls
Cushions
Corset Covers
Lunch Sets
Sewing Sets
Scissor Sets
Dinner Gongs
Manicure Sets
Pin Cushions
Military Brushes
Coat Hangers
Mirrors
Traveling Cases
Collar Boxes
Hose
Gloves
Hand Bags
Party Cases
Slippers in Cases
Smoking Jackets
House Robes
Bath Robes
Linen Towels
Table Linen

Neckwear
Tourist Cases
Jewel Cases
Ribbons
Desk Sets

Suggestions

Smoking Sets
Boudoir Caps
Fancy Combs
Needle Cases
Doll Sets

A Few Suggestions Listed Here Picked at Random

No reason why you can't readily find just what you want for Father's, Mother's, Brother's, Sister's or friend's Christmas Gift. Come in and look at our complete stocks.

THE GIFT FOR HER

TOYLAND

and with only a few days left to buy for the kiddies Charleroi's Greatest Toy Store is best prepared to take care of your wants. No need of looking around for this, that and the other thing for the kiddies. In our enormous stocks you surely can find just what you want for them. Visit Toyland and bring the kiddies

NAROBIA
GUARANTEED FURS

Ladies' Neckwear here in abundance. A man can buy here and get something to suit every time from our hundreds of new styles

A complete assortment of dolls for the tots and larger girls

Our store will be open evenings until Christmas for those who of necessity must shop at night, but if possible shop in day time, preferably in the morning.

Berrymans The Gift Store

Maline Bows
Fancy Pins
Vanity Cases
Fancy Hat Pins
Hair Pins
Hair Ornaments
Card Trays

Dresser Trays
Hair Brushes
Handkerch'fs
Purses
Coats
Suits
Art Goods
Silk Scarfs

Waists
Kimonas
Bath Robes
Silk Petticoats
Rain Coats
Furs, Hats
Veils
Skirts

Pajamas
Night Shirts
Mufflers
Gloves
Sweaters
Neckwear
Handker'chfs
Silk Half Hose
Shirts
Umbrellas
Shaving Mirrors
Suit Cases
Collar Bags
Collar Boxes
Cuff Buttons
Stick Pins
Tie Holders
Arm Bands
Garters
Hats
Caps
Suits
Overcoats
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Bill Books
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Slippers

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Continous Performance 1:00 P. M. to 11:00 P. M.

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LADIES STRING ORCHESTRA PLAYS AT ALL PERFORMANCES

Monday, Dec. 23rd

Tom Mix in

"Fame and Fortune"

A Tornado of Action Out of the West. The Play That Makes You Gasp.

Also a Sunshine Comedy

Tuesday & Wednesday

(Christmas)

Rita Jolivet

The International Star and Survivor of the Lusitania in

"Lest We Forget"

or the Sinking of the Lusitania
What her eyes have seen
you shall see

The distinguished stage artiste, Rita Jolivet, is shown in this picture as the center of a powerful drama, the scenes of which reflect international events at the beginning of the European War. Based on actual occurrences in the memorable summer of 1914 the play presents as its central picture the torpedoing of the Lusitania.

Thursday and Friday

TWO DAYS

"Tarzan of The Apes"

SPEAKING OF

"Tarzan of the Apes"

Albert Payson Terhune said: "It is the greatest picture I ever saw"

Pauline Fredericks said: "It is a wonderful picture"

Evening World said: "Only one word will describe it, it is marvelous"

Evening Telegram said: "It thrills, it astounds"

Herald said: "More thrills than Broadway is used to"

Willard Mack said: "It is a masterpiece of primeval life"

The Times said: "It is thrilling and educational"

YOU WILL SAY

It Startles -- It Thrills -- It Astounds
It Surprises and Entertains

Public Sale of the Real Estate of John Rider, deceased.

The undersigned will offer at Public sale on the premises on Thursday December 26 at 1:00 o'clock P. M., the following described property:

Farm of 45 acres more or less in Fallowfield township, Washington count, Penna., 5 miles from Charleroi on the Centerville road on which is erected an 8 room frame dwelling, piped for gas, a frame barn 32x45, a wagon shed and automobile garage combined, a frame spring house with good water within 50 feet of dwelling and other necessary buildings also a 4 room tenant house, a store room and blacksmith shop. The above property is under gas lease at the present time, is within 3-4 miles of the Fallowfield station on the Westside Electric Street Railway and is convenient to churches and the Public school is within 1-4 miles.

[illegible] on day of sale. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Mrs. Sarah E. Rider,
Executrix
415 Meadow Avenue,
Charleroi, Pa.

W. W. Hixon, Auctioneer. 165t7

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CHICHESTER S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

AUDITOR'S NOTICE

In Re Estate of William B. Carter, Deceased.. In the Orphan's Court of Washington County, Pennsylvania. November Term, 1918 A. A. .. .. ..

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, having been appointed auditor to pass upon the exceptions, if any, to the first and final account in the above estate and to make distribution of the balance remaining in the hands of the accountant among those entitled to receive the same, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office at No. 511 Fallowfield Avenue, in the Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, on Saturday, the 28th day of December, 1918, at ten o'clock A. M., at which time and place all persons interested may appear if they so desire.

Hugh E. Fergus.
Auditor

D-7-14-21

Seeing is believing, we do not want you to buy, we only want an opportunity to show you, we expect to sell you only when we can convince you Try I. Birken, 522 McKean avenue. 159-tf

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Nothing would please better than furs for her Christmas. Special reduction on all furs. Berrymans. 168-t3

Fond memories are recalled and life long satisfaction found in our perfect DIAMONDS in the latest settings, at I Birken. 522 McKean avenue. 159-tf

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Get your Christmas trees and holly wreaths at Deerzbacher's. 165-t5

TRY A CLASSIFED WANT AD

Back Bad Today?

Backache is usually kidney-ache and makes you dull, nervous and tired. Use Doan's Kidney Pills for weak kidneys - the remedy recommended by your friends and neighbors.

Mrs. D. F. Worthington, Second street, says: "I was troubled by backache for years. The pains were so intense at times it made me sick all over. I was always worse in the morning. Whenever I stooped a sharp pain darted through me and I could hardly catch my breath. Often it was just as though a knife were being stuck into me and I was tired all the time. I had rheumatic pains all through my body and my feet became swollen. I bought a couple of boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills at Piper Bros. Drug Store and they relieved me of all symptoms of the trouble. I now take Doan's Kidney Pills once in awhile and they always help me."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Worthington had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

A dangerous rasping cough and sore throat can be quickly relieved by Kemp's Balsam. A few cents invested in a bottle will amply repay you when you have occasion to use. Used by thousands. Satisfaction guaranteed. Sold by druggists everywhere.

Stop! Look! Listen!

FOR SALE

For Sale: Five room house, Fallowfield avenue, $3000.

Five room house, Lincon, $4500.

Six room house Fallowfield, $6500

Six room house McKean, $3000.

Eight room house Eight St., $25[illegible]

Nine room house and 8 room house Eight Street, $4300

Four room house Lincoln, $[illegible]

Six room house and vacant lot, $42[illegible]

Five room house, Crest. $3[illegible]

Six room and three room house Maple Creek, $2000.

A. L. LUBINSKI
[illegible]

Men's and Ladies Bath Robes, a large selection at Berrymen's. 168-t3

FOR SALE

807 Sixth street 4 rooms $1700.
1101 McKean Ave 5 rooms $2600.
1102 McKean Ave 5 rooms $2400.
729 McKean Ave 4 roms $3000.
225 Lookout Ave 5 rooms $1500.
227 Lookout Ave 5 rooms $1500.
235 Lookout Ave 5 rooms $1600
235 Lekout Ave 5 rooms $1600.
405 Sixth street 6 rooms $4000.

I. P. HEPLER,
411 Fallowfield Ave.,
Charleroi, Pa.